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The Soviet authorities have ordered that prospecting for petroleum deposits be intensified in Rumania. The following results have been obtained under the new program:

- a. Traces of petroleum have been obtained in the vicinity of Pitesti.
- b. Rich oil-bearing strata have been discovered at Suta Seaca, between Gaesti and Targoviste on the Bucharest-Pitesti railroad. Some of the test wells drilled in this area are now producing.

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